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### Trinity County Coronavirus (COVID-19) Health Advisory

TRINITY COUNTY – Persons may obtain second doses of Moderna Covid-19 vaccine through the Trinity County Public Health Branch (TCPHB) Point of Distribution Site (PODS) or through other vaccine providers.

#### Moderna COVID- 19 Vaccine Second Dose Eligibility

- At least 28 days have passed since the first dose of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine
- There is no outer limit to when the second dose can be given; however persons are not completely protected until they receive their second dose. Two (2) doses of Moderna vaccine, 28 days apart is 94% efficacious.
- Must bring their vaccination card with them to receive second dose through TCPHB PODS.
- Persons who received first doses will not automatically be registered to receive second doses through TCPHB PODS.

#### How to Obtain Second Dose of Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine:

- For TCPHB PODS pre-register either online at [www.trinitycounty.org](http://www.trinitycounty.org) or by calling the TCPHB COVID-19 Vaccine line at 623-8235 if you do not have internet access.
- Persons can also obtain second doses through other means, such as their medical provider and some pharmacies.

#### Public Health Guidance

It is important to continue to follow the public health guidance around prevention even after receiving the first dose of vaccine including all of the following:



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- Proper social distancing of at least 6 feet
- Masking or Face shield at all times when out in public
- Increased ventilation – outdoor versus indoor and adequate air flow in buildings prevents spread when all other preventative measures above are implemented
- Frequent hand-washing and sanitizing high-touch surfaces
- Self-isolate if develop any symptoms consistent with COVID-19
- Self-quarantine if exposed
- Get tested
- Monitor for symptoms, self-isolate, and get tested:
  - Fever or chills
  - Cough
  - Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
  - Fatigue
  - Muscle or body aches
  - Headache
  - New loss of taste or smell
  - Sore throat
  - Congestion or runny nose
- If exposed, get tested and self-quarantine.

For more information please visit our COVID-19 Vaccine link on [www.trinitycounty.org](http://www.trinitycounty.org) or call the COVID-19 Vaccine line with questions or concerns at 530-623-8235